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TO THE PUBLIC.

The Eldorado National Forest is easily accessible to campers and tourists. It is traversed from east to west by the recently dedicated Lincoln Highway. Three State highways lead from the valleys of the Sacramento and San Joaquin of California on the west, and one from Carson Valley in Nevada on the east, to Lake Tahoe and the numerous tributary lakes, all of which abound with trout.

Within the Lake Tahoe region and surrounding country and along the American, Conumnes, and Mokelumne rivers are many desirable situations for summer homes and camps. The use of Government land for such purposes is allowed on application. Small annual rentals are charged, ranging from \$6 to \$25 per site.

Hotels, stations, and summer resorts are also permitted, annual rentals ranging from \$25 to \$250 per annum, according to the character of use and the desirability of the tract. Many very desirable sites are available.

Ordinary camping is permitted without charge.

BE CAREFUL WITH FIRE.

Campers and tourists are requested to exercise the greatest care in the use of fire.

SIX RULES FOR PREVENTION OF FIRES IN THE MOUNTAINS.

1. MATCHES.—Be sure your match is out. Break it in two before you throw it away.

2. TOBACCO.—Throw pipe ashes and cigar or cigarette stumps in the dust of the road and stamp or pinch out the fire before leaving them. Don't throw them into brush, leaves, or needles.

3. MAKING CAMP.—Build a small camp fire. Build it in the open, not against a tree or log or near brush. Scrape away the trash from all around it.

4. LEAVING CAMP.—Never leave a camp fire, even for a short time, without quenching it with water or earth.

5. BONFIRES.—Never build bonfires in windy weather or where there is the slightest danger of their escaping from control. Don't make them larger than you need.

6. FIGHTING FIRES.—If you find a fire, try to put it out. If you can't, get word of it to the nearest U. S. forest ranger or State fire warden at once. Keep in touch with the rangers.

Many disastrous fires have started from the discarded butt of an unextinguished cigar or cigarette, the ashes from a pipe, or an unextinguished match.

Observe instructions on fire posters along the trails and add to the convenience of other travelers by not mutilating trail or other Government signs. They are all placed for a good purpose.

Do not pollute the waters in springs, lakes, and creeks. Remember that the mountain streams furnish domestic water supply for thousands of people in the foothills of Placer, Eldorado, Amador, and Sacramento counties.

When you establish a camp dig a hole some distance from the source of water supply, throw into it all camp refuse, including all inflammable material, empty cans and other debris, and cover it with earth when you leave.

The headquarters of the forest supervisor of the Eldorado National Forest are at the new Fairchild Building, Placerville, Cal., Telephone, Main 921. The headquarters of the rangers in each of the various districts of the Forest are indicated on the map.

Forest officers know all roads and trails and camping places. They can give you information that will help to make your trip in the

Forest a pleasant one. You are invited to call at the ranger stations or the forest supervisor's headquarters at any time.

At the intersection of the principal roads and trails signs have been placed which indicate the direction to the nearest settlement, ranches, ranger stations, and the points of scenic interest within the National Forest.

For the interest of the traveling public, the principal hotels and resorts are enumerated. Gasoline may be purchased at all places designated by the asterisk (\*).

On the route of the Lincoln Highway :  
Pacific House\* Strawberry Hotel\*  
Riverton Hotel\* Phillips Station\*  
Hotel White Hall\* Meyers Station\*  
Silver Fork Tavern\* Lake Side\*  
Sugar Leaf Hotel\* Edgewood\*  
Glennbrook\*

On or near Lake Tahoe :  
Fallen Leaf Lodge Hotel Al Tahoe\*  
Cathedral Park Bijou\*  
Glen Alpine Springs Emerald Bay Camp (can not be reached with auto)  
Moana Villa\*  
Rubicon Springs (can not be reached with auto) McKinney's\*

On Alpine State Highway :  
Round Top Hotel at Hams Station\*  
Kirkwoods\* Woodfords Hotel\*  
On Georgetown Divide :  
New Georgetown Hotel\* Uncle Tom's Cabin  
Shady Oak Ranch  
Brower's Station Soap Weed Hotel  
Balderton's Station\* Pino Grande\*  
Josephine's Hotel\*  
Grizzly Flat Ridge :  
Hotel White Leonel Ranch  
Cole's Ranch Caldor\*

Trips of special scenic interest may be made from the resorts and hotels. From Sugar Leaf Hotel, horse back trip to Silver Lake and Round Top Mountain; from Phillips and Strawberry by auto to Echo Lake; by foot trail to Cup Lake, Ralston Peak, Pyramid Peak, and Desolation Valley country; from Tallac, Al Tahoe, Bijou, Meyers Station, Fallen Leaf Lodge, Cathedral Park, Glen Alpine, foot trail or horseback trip to Desolation Valley, Lake of the Woods, Mt. Tallac, Star Lake, Jobs Peak, and Freel's Peak, from whose summit is presented a beautiful view of the Carson Valley, more than a mile below. Grass Lake, Hope Valley, Faith Valley, Charity Valley, and

Round Top Hotel, may all be reached by automobile from any of the resorts mentioned. From McKinney's trips may be made to Rubicon Springs, Talent Lake, and other interesting places.

TIMBER.

Over four billion feet of timber grows within the Eldorado National Forest. Complete information regarding logging chances within the Forest may be obtained on application to the forest supervisor, Placerville, Cal.

REMEMBER  
The National Forests are the great resource grounds of the Nation. They also contain immense amounts of valuable timber needed for the development of the country.  
Damage to the Forests means loss to you as well as to thousands of others.  
BE CAREFUL WITH FIRE  
DON'T POLLUTE THE STREAMS  
LEAVE YOUR CAMP SITE CLEAN  
The National Forests belong to the people. Don't impair the value of your own property by damaging it.  
This folder tells you about the recreation features of the Eldorado National Forest. The map shows you the roads, trails, and other things you want to know.

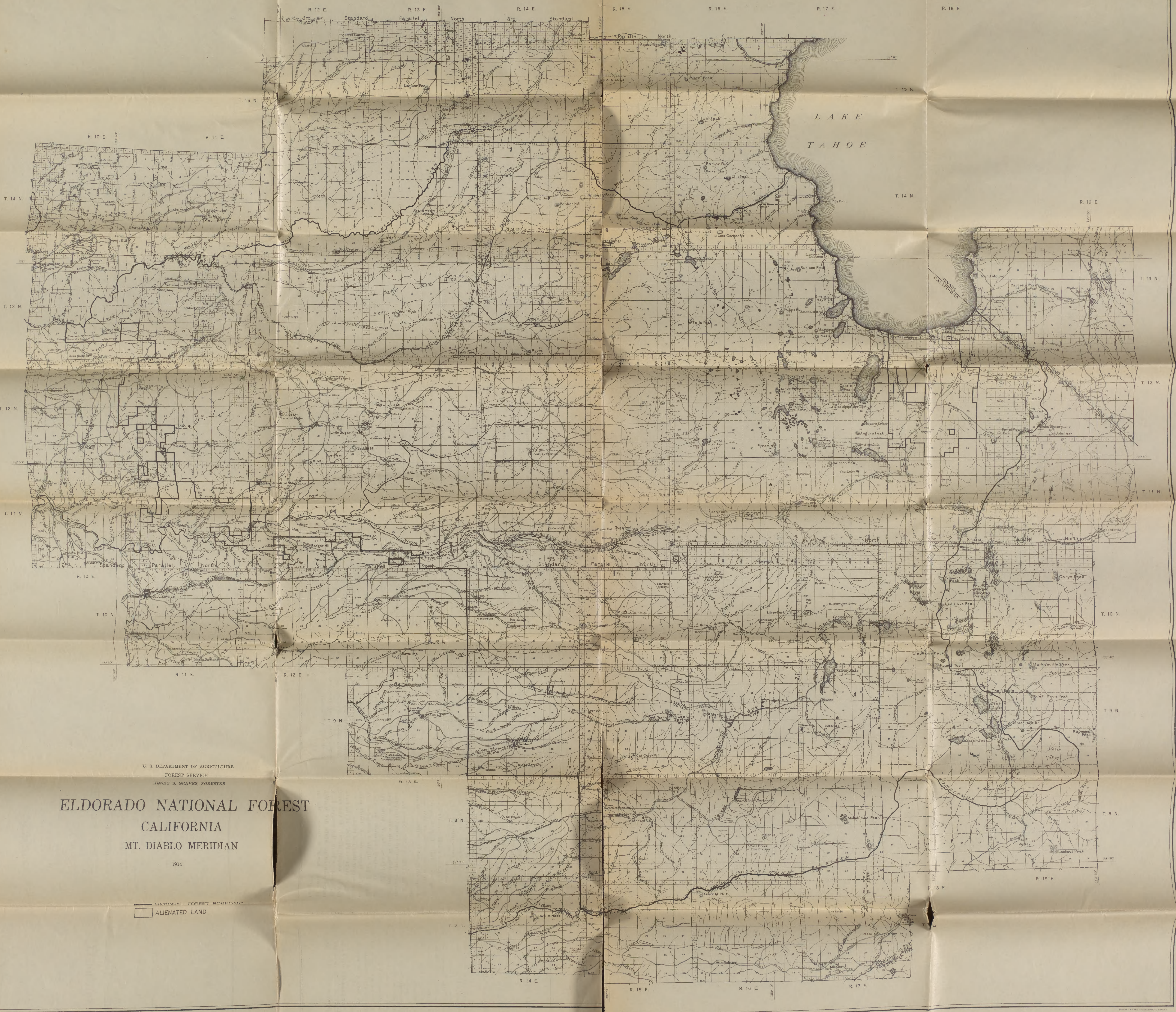
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